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PRECISE TRANSFER AND)
MANIPULATAION OF FLUIDS)
BY CENTRIFUGAL AND/OR)
CAPILLARY FORCES)

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APPOINTMENT OF ASSOCIATE ATTORNEY

Sir:

In the matter of the above entitled application, the undersigned principal attorney hereby appoints Elizabeth A. Levy, Reg. No. 34,375 as associate attorney.

Signed at Elkhart, County of Elkhart, State of Indiana, this 9th day of April, 2002.

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